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## INTRODUCTION.

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## New Chrysanthemums.

Mrs. A. P. Meredith (Manda). A bright yellowsport of the well-known Mrs. Kimball.Like its parent, a vigorous grower, withstout stem and fine heavy foliage. Theflowers are very double, and last a longtime in perfection. A valuable acqui-sition
Elvena (J. N. M.) A pleasing shade of beau-tiful soft silvory pink, the finest earlypink to date, broad incurved petals,extra good stem and fine heavy foliage.$.75 \quad 7.50$
Elainora (J. N. M.) Deep pink; reverse, clear rose; large, bold, handsome incurved flower, with good stem and fine hand- some foliage; blooms in midseason... ..... $75 \quad 7.50$
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Loantika (J. N. M.) Bright clear red, veryearly, and large petals, flat reflexed,but very full; the best early variety ofthis color.$75 \quad 7.50$
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Midge (N. S. \& S.) A fine double pure white variety, with short, stout stem and fine heavy foliage ; one of the earliest varieties in cultivation. \$0.75 \$7.50

Merula (N. S. \& S.) Very double flowers of a beautiful shade of light pink, measuring five inches in diameter and nearly as deep; fine stem and foliage........ 75

Mrs. John J. Glessner (N. S. \& S.) Fine light yellow, very distinct in form, petals broad, opening in a whirl; robust grower; stout stem

Chito (N. S. \& S.) Yellow ground, with fine red stripes, giving it a bronzy appearance; foliage, fine dark heavy green; fine stout stems.
7.50

Mrs. M. A. Ryerson (N. S. \& S.) A fine pure white form; flowers deep; the petals are narrow and interlacing. .75
7.50

Sunstone (N. S. \& S.) Petals hook up at the ending, showing light straw color on the reverse upper surface ; bright yellow, shading to red. .75 7.50

Western King (N. S. \& S.) Fine white, for cutting or exhibition; an incurved flower with outer petals slightly reflexing; winner of many prizes.. .75

## New Carnations.

Lily Dean (J. N. M.) A bold, handsome pure white flower; the edges of the petals are beautifully penciled with clear pink, making it exceedingly attractive.....
Maud Dean (J. N. M.) Delicate blush white, gradually deepening to the centre, making it a beautiful and attractive flower; it is also most delightfully fragrant. 25 2.50

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Harrison's White (J. H.) A pure white sport from Wm. Scott, having all the characteristics and fine habits of this wellknown variety.
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Major Pingree (P. B. \& S.) A fine yellow ; petals penciled with red. $.25 \quad 2.50$
Morello (H. \& L.) A beautiful scarlet, with monster flowers, measuring three to four inches in diameter.

## NEW HYBRID WICHURIANA ROSES, <br> OR THE <br> DOUBLE MEMORIAL ROSE.

T gives me great pleasure to offer to the public the first Hybrids of Rosa Wichuriana, which are the grandest novelty of 1897. The habit of these new Roses is the same as the Rose Wichuriana, or Memorial Rose. The growth is creeping, and therefore can be used to cover the ground, stems of trees, pillars, posts, trellises, or any other purpose desired, including pot culture. They are the hardiest Roses I know of, and will stand any climate or exposure. They thrive well in the poorest soil or on a gravel bank. The foliage is finely cut, thick, of a leathery substance, bright green, shining as if varnished, not subject to mildew or any insect, but keeps its full beauty until almost Christmas. The flowers are produced in the greatest profusion, so that a two or three year old plant will produce several thousand most exquisite blossoms, which are deliciously fragrant and last a long time in perfection.

## MANDA'S TRIUMPH (Manda).

This grand Rose is of free growth, luxuriant foliage, and produces large clusters of double pure white flowers, two inches in diameter, beautifully imbricated and well formed, very sweet scented.

## UNIVERSAL FAVORITE (Manda).

This is the most vigorous plant of the set. The long branching shoots are covered with dense bright green foliage. The double flowers are over two inches in diameter, and of a beautiful rose color, similar to the Bridesmaid, and deliciously fragrant. A grand variety for any purpose.

## SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION (Manda).

This is a gem, growing freely close to the ground, and having multitudes of the most perfectly formed double flowers, about one and a half inches in diameter, soft blush pink at the tips, changing to white. It lasts a long time in perfection.

## PINK ROAMER (Manda).

This is without question a Hybrid between the Sweetbrier, and carries these characteristics in bloom, while the growth, which is very rampant, and the luxurious foliage, partake more of the Wichuriana. The single flowers, which are produced in close heads, are nearly two inches in diameter, bright rich pink, with almost a white centre, which lightens up the orange-red stamens, producing an effect which, combined with fragrance, makes it one of the most valuable roses in cultivation.

Taking them together, the set of the four above varieties should be in every garden, and I am sure they will prove more valuable than the celebrated Crimson Rambler, as they are of a much more vigorous growth. Some shoots made last season were from fifteen to twenty feet in length, which is marvelous amongst roses.

> Price of plants, 60 cents each; $\$ 6.00$ per dozen $; \$ 35.00$ per hundred; of a set of the four varieties, one of each, $\$ 2.00$.

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## PRESS COMMENTS.

From the American Florist, June 13, 1896-"W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., exhibited a most remarkable group of new roses, seedlings of Rosa Wichuriana, in foliage and habit exactly like Wichuriana, but the flowers of one are double white, another double pink, another shell pink, and one single pink. They are all beautiful acquisitions, lovely colors, and very fragrant. They created quite a sensation, and the Committee of Awards was requested to visit Mr. Manda and report on these beautiful novelties."

Florists' Exchange, June 13, 1896-"Mr. Manda had on exhibition some very interesting hybrids of Rosa Wichuriana, all showing double flowers, one especially being worthy of note-a cross between one of the hybrid perpetuals and the type, the true parentage not being known. The plant shows the floriferousness and habit of growth of R. Wichuriana, being even more vigorous. The flowers are white and are very symmetrical. Mr. Manda said, from a small cutting put out last July, on one branch he counted over 150 flowers, and the growth had now attained the length of eighteen feet six inches. Other hybrids shown had been fertilized by Noisette pollen, the result being some very pretty shades of color ranging from pink to white. Mr. Manda has also been crossing the Memorial rose with Meteor, Mme. Hoste, and American Beauty, and the Sweetbriar, from which he hopes to obtain good results. The thanks of the club were tendered to Mr. Manda for his excellent exhibit."

The Florists' Exchange, June $27-\cdots$ W. A. Manda was awarded honorable mention for a very promising hybrid Rosa Wichuriana." "W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., had an interesting display of orchids and herbaceous flowers, and received from the committee of the Gardeners' Society a certificate for his new, double hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana, previously mentioned in these columns, and which he has named 'Manda's Triumph.'"

American Gardening, June 27 -" New Rose, 'Manda's Triumph,' New York Gardeners' Society's certificate of merit to W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J."

American Florist, June 27-"Brought out several very nice exhibits, among which that of W. A. Manda was particularly prominent. A hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana with double white flowers and dwarf habit gave promise of becoming a valuable addition to its class.
"To W. A. Manda, (New York Gardeners' Societyscertificate), for new rose 'Manda's Triumph,' a hybrid from Wichuriana and an unknown H. P.'
"Again shown and greatly admired-W. A. Manda's Wichuriana Hybrid, which received the award of honorable mention."

American Gardening, June 27-" Special mention must be accorded to W. A. Manda for his most interesting new hybrid rose (R. Wichuriana X hybrid perpetual variety). This 'Triumph' as it has been named, was described on page 374, issue of June 13. It is satisfactory to learn that the Gardeners' Society recognized its interest and made a suitable reward."

American Florist, July 18, 1896-"The New York Florists' Club has, through its Committee on Awards, given a silver medal and three certificates of merit to W. A. Manda for new roses."

The Florists' Exchange, July 18 - " The New York Florists' Club's Committee of Awards has recommended that the club's silver medal be awarded to W. A. Manda, South Orange, N. J., for his double hybrid of Rosa Wichuriana."
"The Committee of Awards of the New York Florists' Club visited the establishment of W. A. Manda, at South Orange, N. J., on June 15, and examined his new roses. In their report of same they recommend certificates of merit to seedling No. 2, 'a very pretty double rose, color a porcelain pink, two inches in diameter, of sweet fragrance, much like the old Sweetbriar, extremely strong grower and hardy;' to No. 3. 'a rosy pink, with a large decided white eye, single bloom, two inches in diameter, an exceedingly strong grower and hardy,' and to No, 5, 'a beautiful dorble little rose, one inch in diameter, of a lovely blush pink color, a very strong grower and hardy.'
"They recommended a silver medal to No. 8, 'the gem of the collection,' which might be called a double Rose Wichuriana, color of pure white, and intensely double, very sweet fragrance, the foliage a deep shining green, of great substance ; the growth is exceedingly strong and perfectly hardy.
"The committee consists of Eugene Dailledouze, chairman ; Patrick O'Mara'and Peter MacDonald."
The Gardener's Magazine, London, Eng., Nov. 9, 1896.-A season or two since Mr. W. A. Manda crossed Rosa Wichuriana with various other species and varieties, Eglantine, a number of the most attractive teas, American Beauty and Gen. Jacqueminot. The hybrids have, we learn from the "Garden and Forest" lately been shown at South Orange, planted out on bare sandy banks, in positions where Rosa Wichuriana is especially valuable and attractive. In character of foliage and habit of growth they resemble the prostrate rambling parent, but the crossing has produced a most remarkable series of free flowering plants, with handsome fragrant flowers. One attractive hybrid, has clusters of pink single flowers, which resemble in miniature the Bridesmaid. There are also several forms with double white flowers. One of these with a delicate pink hue is peculiar and distinct, the numerous small rounded petals being reflexed and perfectly imbricated, an arrangement not usual among roses. Mr. Manda has also a number of other forms, mostly pink or rose in color, and varying in shape and number of petals which he purposes naming and offering next year. These hybrids must, our contemporary believes, meet with great favor with planters, as they add brilliancy or warmth of color to a valuable rose.

## AWARDS.

Manda's Triumph-Silver medal from the New York Florists' Club; Certificate from the New York Gardeners' Society ; Honorable mention from Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

Universal Favorite-Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club.
Pink Roamer-Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club.
South Orange Perfection-Certificate of Merit from the New York Florists' Club,

## NEW ROSES.

## SOUVENIR DE PRESIDENT CARNOT.

Ivory white shading to a beautiful pearly pink in the centre; a fine, bold flower, very large and of exquisite form, with good stiff stem and handsome foliage. The plant is of extra vigorous growth, and very free flowering. Taking it all in all, it is one of the finest roses ever introduced. Equaily good for winter forcing or outdoor culture in summer. 35 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 3.50$; per $100, \$ 25.00$.

## YELLOW RAMBLER (Aglaia).

The hardiest yellow climbing rose in cultivation. Same habits as the well-known Crimson Rambler. Flowers a decided yellow, borne in great clusters, lasting long in perfection. $\$ 1.00$ each; per dozen, $\$ 10.00$.

## CRIMEON RAMBLER.

This superb novelty is of the Polyantha class, and of Japanese origin. The plant is of vigorous growth, making shoots eight to ten feet long. For covering trellises, or as a pillar rose, it cannot be excelled. It is also magnificent in bush form. The flowers are produced in large pyramidal trusses, and in color are of the most brilliant crimson, lasting in perfection for two weeks with their freshness of color unimpaired. 35 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 3.50$.

## Fine strong two.year old plants, 75 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 7.50$.

## MOSELLA.

Similar in habit and as free a grower as the well-known Clothilde Soupert. The outer petals are white, while the centre is a beautiful yellow; a grand bedding rose. 25 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 2.50$.

## MARGARET DIXON.

This is without doubt the finest pure white Hardy Perpetual Rose in cultivation. Flowers are of good form, as large as Paul Neyron, and of a fine shiny white; very vigorous and hardy strong two-year-old plants. 75 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 7.50$.

One of each of the above five Roses for \$2.75.

## ABUTILON SAVITSI.

This is a grand novelty, and a very decided improvement on Souv. de Bonir. The leaves are heavily marked with a pure silvery white. The variegations are exceedingly beautiful, making it a fine decorative plant. There is no Abutilon that can compare with it for striking beauty. 50 cents each.

## NEW CANNA, "LITTLE BILLEE."

A very dwarf variety, intermediate in color between Queen Charlotte and Souv. de Antoine Crozy; grows about three feet high. Fine as a pot plant, and equally good for bedding. 50 cents each; per dozen, $\$ 5.00$.

## NEW CANNAS.

I am very pleased to offer such a grand lot of new varieties of this very popular plant for outdoor bedding; in fact, no garden should be without this collection of five sterling kinds.

## CANNA, MANDA'S IDEAL.-(Manda.)

To my mind the finest and most useful Canna in cultivation. Naturally, it grows from two to three feet high, having small glaucous green leaves, and producing stout stems, which branch and throw up as many as a dozen large trusses of well formed flowers, which are of a rich scarlet vermilion color. It lasts for a long time in perfection, and the numerous spikes fully developed give it a dazzling appearance. A like effect is not produced by any other Canna in cultivation. I raised this Canna from seed three years ago, and have fully tested its merits from that time, and feel confident that it will be one of the best acquisitions for bedding purposes. Ready for delivery after March Ist. Price, 75 cents each; $\$ 7.50$ per dozen.

## CANNA, ROBERT CHRISTY.-(Manda.)

A beautiful acquisition in its color, was raised by Mr. Robert Christy, of Newport, R. I., and has captivated everybody who has seen it. Grows about four feet high, with stout stems supporting large musa-like foliage, and producing immense spikes of bright orange vermilion flowers, which is a shade unique amongst Cannas Awarded First-Class Certificate by the New York Florists' Club. Ready after March ist. Price, 75 cents each; $\$ 7.50$ per dozen.

## CANNA, JOHN WHITE.-(White.)

This is a distinct novelty in the way of Cannas, growing about three feet in height, with reddish stems, light green foliage, beautifully striped with white, yellow and rose, edged with red, the combination of which produces a grand effect, and on account of which it will be valuable for subtropical borders and beds, and for other purposes, where fine foliage plants are in demand. The flowers are small and of a bright red color, succeeded by red fruit, which enhances its appearance. Ready after March ist. Price, $\$ 1.00$ each; $\$ 10.00$ per dozen.

## CANNA, ITALIA.

One of the wonders of recent introduction, growing from six to nine feet high, with large musa-like foliage. The flower spikes produce a number of extraordinary large fiowers of a beautiful scarlet color, edged with yellow, a plant that should be in every collection. Price, $\$ 1.00$ each; $\$ 10.00$ per dozen.

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A companion to the above-named variety, having the same wonderful qualities of growth and flowers, with the exception that its wonderful large blooms are of a beautiful canary yellow, faintly spotted with purple. Price, $\$ 1.00$ each; $\$ 10.00$ per dozen.

Collection of the Five New Cannas, one of each, for $\$ 3.75$.

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This exceedingly handsome native tree is so seldom seen in cultivation that I make this special notice, and would recommend it to any one planting trees. The branches are rather broad, and of a glaucous shade, combining well with the bright green of the upper surface. A very free grower, and easy to transplant. Price, 50 cents to $\$ 1.25$ each, according to size.

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A grand improvement on the well-known species, and one that should be in every collection of Hardy Plants. The habit and flowers are much larger and stronger. Well adapted for cutting purposes. Each, 20 cents; per dozen, \$2.00.

## NEW WHITE ORIENTAL POPPY, "SILVER QUEEN."

An extraordinary variety of this showy and ornamental perennial, with extra large, showy flowers, same as the type, with the exception of the color, which is beautiful silvery white, which renders it amongst the rarest and most beautiful hardy plants in cultivation, and should be in every garden. Each, 35 cents; per dozen, $\$ \mathbf{3 . 5 0}$.

## HEMEROCALLIS AURANTIACA MAJOR.

This is one of the finest hardy plants in cultivation, producing in the spring spikes with very large orange yellow flowers handsomer than any Lily; of the easiest culture, and a grand addition to this popular class of plants. Price, 50 cents each; $\$ 5.00$ per dozen.

## RUDBECKIA FULGIDA.

This is decidedly the brightest and most showy amongst the hardy plants in cultivation, and of the easiest culture possible. It will thrive in any situation, preferring a sunny exposure. The plant is compact and bushy, producing numerous stems with hundreds of heads of flowers, the rays of the flowers being a dazzling orange yellow, while the disk is of a deep rich velvety maroon brown. This combination of color makes it one of the most striking objects in a flower garden. Price, 20 cents each; $\$ 2.00$ per dozen.

## DOUBLE RUDBECKIA, "GOLDEN GLOW." (Rudbeckia laciniata fl. pl.)

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This is a very desirable hardy pink. Flowers as large as any Carnation, deeply fringed, of fine rosy-pink color and true clove-scented. Price, 25 cents each; $\$ 2.50$ per dozen.

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This popular plant has been so greatly improved that I ..m able to offer ten new kinds, besides four of former introduction. The flowers are very large, beautifully fringed, and oddly shaped, and have a wide range in color.

Giant Red. Flowers perfect form, measuring four and one-half to five inches across; rich crimson.
Giant Pink. Flowers same size as the above of a beautiful soft pink color.
Giant White. Extraordinarily large pure white flowers.
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Camellaeflora. Large flowers, with overlapping petals of great substance, resembling single Camellia.

Tints of Dawn. Distinct type, variously formed flowers, with ground flaked or flushed with delicate pink.
Pink Maroon Ring. The name describes the color of the very large and well formed flowers.

Single Dahlia Red. Flowers very large, resembling a single Dahlia, of the richest crimson color.
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One of the finest of our garden shrubs and trees. This collection embraces fifty distinct varieties, and two specimens curiously trained, having from four to six distinct varieties grafted on their twisted stems. Price for the entire collection, $\$ 50.00$.

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The colors of the flowers vary into nearly every shade imaginable, making them real wonders of nature. They are of easy culture, succeeding well in any sunny position. Per packei, 10 cents; dozen packets, $\$ 1.00$.

To convey to my customers the wonderful beauty of these desirable novelties, I will be pleased to send, upon request, by express. a set of hand-painted plates of these beautiful flowers, from nature, the same to be returned to me after inspection.

Full collection of Japanese Seeds, Plants and Bulbs always on hand. Prices, etc., on application.

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This plant will become very popular, as any one can grow it, and the price is within the reach of every one.

Price, each, 25 cents; per dozen, $\$ 2.50$; per $100, \$ 18.00$.

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# Greenhouse, <br> Garden, or <br> Farm, 

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## Bulbs for Spring Planting.

There is no class of plants where for so small an outlay there can be made such a display as with bulbs, while they hardly require any care to grow them to perfection. I will make a special low offer :
12 Bulbs, in varieties, my selection, for only ..... \$0.75
25 Bulbs, in choice variety, my selection, for only. ..... 1.25
100 Bulbs, in choice variety, for only ..... 3.75

## Tuberous Rooted Begonias.

A very desirable plant, which can be used for outdoor bedding if planted in a sheltered position, away from the direct rays of the sun; also, as a pot or box plant.

> Each. Doz. roo.

|  |  | Doz. | 10 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gladiolus. White and Light mixed. Fine strains |  |  |  |
| of lig | ght colors......................... | O. 50 | \$3. |
| Gladiolus. Pink varieties mixed. Some grand |  |  |  |
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## Lilies.

The following are only a very few of the collection I carry, having at least a hundred varieties in stock of these well known favorites.

| Lilium auratum (The Golden Banded Lily of | Ea | Doz, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Japan). Very fine bulbs.......... |  |  |
| Lilium longiflorum albo-marginatum. Fine form of the longiflorum, with variegated leaves. | . 30 |  |
| Lilium speciosum. Fine pink variety, with dark spots on petals. | . 20 | 2.0 |
| lium speciosum album. Fine variety of the above flowers; pure white. | . 25 | 2.5 |

Lilium speciosum roseum. Another variety of this beautiful Lily; flowers deep rose.
$20 \quad 2.00$
Litium tigrinum splendens. Fine red flowers; grows very easily.........................
Caladium esculentum (Elephant's Ear). Massive tropical looking foliage . ..........
Dahlia, Mixed. The very best varieties; makes grand show ...... ..............
Gloxinia, Mixed. Finest European strains; extra fine bulbs........................... . . 25
Hyacinthus candicans. Fine long spikes, with white flowers............................ . . . 08
Madeira Vine (Climbing Mignonette). A well known popular plant............. . . 05 50

Tigridia in varieties (Mexican Shell Flower). Finest varieties only.................... . 05
50

Tuberose, Dwarf Pearl. The dwarf double white variety............. $\$ 4.00$ per 100. . 10
Tuberose, Variegated foliage. A very showy variety.
. 20
2.00

Tuberose, Albino. A grand sort, producing
Gladiolus. All colors mixed; best varieties
only...................................... $\$ 0.30 \quad \$ 2.00$
Gladiolus. American Hybrids. Exceedingly handsome; great variety of colors.... . . 50 3.00
Gladiolus. Yellow varieties mixed. Some grand shades............................ . 50 3.00
Gladiolus. Lemoine's Finest, mixed. Very fine strain ...................................... . . 75 5.50
long branching spikes of flowers.

## SEEDS.

Here I make only a small selection of the most desirable Vegetable and Flower Seeds, while you will find a most complete collection of same in my Pecket Garden Dictionary, of everything pertaining to Horticulture, on pages 7 to 5 I ; also the Disclaimer under which I offer this.

## Selection of Vegetable Seeds.

Here I mention the leading kinds only, and would be pleased to make a collection that would plant a garden of one thousand square feet during the season for $\$ \mathbf{2 . 7 5}$; or one of five thousand square feet for only $\$ \mathbf{6 . 7 5}$, and give you vegetables the whole season:
Bean, Dwarf Horticultural. Late; productive. ..... Qt. ..... $\$ 0.30$
Egg Plant, Imp., New York Purple. The best variety. \$0. ıо ..... pkt.Extra Early Refugee. Earlier than the famousRefugee30
" Extra Early Valentine. The standard dwarf bean ..... 30
" Long Yellow Six Weeks. Extra fine sort. ..... 25
" Improved Golden Wax. Early round golden pods. ..... 30
" Dreer's Bush Lima. One of the best varieties ..... 50
" Horticultural or Speckled Cranberry. Extta fine ..... 30
Jersey, Extra Early Lima. Largely grown. ..... 40 ..... Oz.
Beet, Extra Early Egyptian. Very early
" Extra Early Eclipse. Round rooted, early. ..... Io
" Early Blood Turnip. Productive; fine quality.. ..... 10
Brussels Sprouts, Improved Dwarf. Compact heads. ..... 05
Cabbage, Early Dwarf Savoy. The earliest Savoy. ..... 05
Early Jersey Wakefield. Finest for early planting. ..... 05
" Premium Flat Dutch. Large solid heads. ..... 05
.. Red Dutch. A useful variety for pickling. . ..... 05
" Succession. Large early summer variety. ..... 05
Carrot, Early Forcing. Best variety for early forcing ..... 15
" Half Long Danvers. Heavy; of good quality. .....  I5
"James' Intermediate. Half long pointed sort. ..... 15
Long Scarlet Exhibition. Fine for general crop. ..... Pkt.
Cauliflower, Early Snowball. The best variety. ..... Pkt.
Large Algiers. Popular sort ; enormous size ..... 25
10
Celery, Boston Market. Dwarf; solid and crisp..... ..... 05
Golden Self-Blanching. Fine yellow blanching sort ..... 10
" Pelfection Heariwell. The best winter varicty ..... IO
White Plume. Largely grown; light foliage. ..... 05
Celeriac, Large Erfurt. The standard variety. ..... IO
Chervil, Curled. The best variety ..... 05
Cress (Peppergrass), Extra Curled. Finest variety. ..... 05
"Water (Erfurt). Extra fine sweet flavor. ..... 10
Corn, Early Cory. One of the earliest sorts. ..... 20Qt." Perry's Hybrid. Ears large; medium early
" Everbearing. A very good cropper ..... 20 ..... 20" Stowell's Evergreen. The most popular variety
Pkt
Cucumber, Boston Pickling. Good variety for pickling ..... 05 ..... 05 ..... 05

* Jersey Pickling. Largely grown from pickling ..... 05
Endive, Moss Curled. Extra fine curled sort. ..... 05
Kale, Tall Green, Scotch. One of the best. ..... 05
Kohl-Rabi, Early White Vienna. White ball, delicate flavor ..... 05
Leek, Large American Flag. The most desirable variety ..... 05
Lettuce, Boston Market. The best variety for forc-  ..... 05
" Hanson. Large heads of excellent quality, ..... 05
" Paris White Cos. Tie up for a few days to blanch ..... 05
" Salamander. A fine summer variety ..... 05
- Trianon, Self-Closing Cos. The best Cos vari- ety. ..... 05
" Tennisball, Black Seeded. A good forcing sort ..... 05
Musk Melon, Banquet. Very fine table variety. ..... 05
Delmonico. Large oval sort; orange flesh. .....  05 .....  05
" Early Hackensack. Larger and earlier than the type ..... 05 ..... 05
Golden Netted Gem. Fine flavor, very early
Golden Netted Gem. Fine flavor, very early "Hackensack. Large, round, popular sort. .....  05
Pineapple. Sweet, and high flavored. ..... 05
Water Melon, Dark Icing. Extra fine, reliable sort. ..... 05
" Mountain Sweet. Large, and of good quality ..... 05
Mushroom Spawn, English. The best sort. . . . per Ib. ..... 12
Mustard, White American. Fine variety ..... 05
" White London. Grows rapidly ..... 05
Nasturtium, Tall Mixed. The best garden sort ..... เо
Onion, Early White Nocera. Fine early white ..... 35
" Large Red Wethersfield. An extra fine keeper. ..... 25
" Mammoth White Garganus or Silver King ..... 35
Southport Yellow Globe. A fine yellow scrt. ..... 30
" Yellow Danvers. The standard yellow variety, ..... 25
" Yellow Globe Danvers. More globular ..... 25
Prize Taker. An extra large sort. ..... 30
Okra, New Dwarf Prolific. Extra fine. ..... Plet. ..... Plet.
Parsnip, Hollow Crown. The standard variety. ..... 05
Parsley, Extra Double Curled. The finest. ..... 05
Peas, Daniel 0'Rourke Improved. Fine sort ..... Qt. ..... 25
". First and Best. Early and prolific ..... 25
" Champion of England. A standard variety ..... 25
" McLean's Advancer. Extra fine variety. ..... 25


## Selection of Vegetable Seeds-Continued.

Peas, Yorkshire Hero Large and productive....... \$0. 25eas, Yorkshire Hero. Large and productive ..... \$0. 25
" Stratagem. A very heavy cropper
' American Wonder. Early and productive ..... 30
" Excelsior. One of the finest sorts ..... 50
" MicLean's Little Gem. Extra early ..... 25
Pumpkin, Large Cheese. The best sort ..... Plkt.
Pepper, Bullnose. Large popular sort ..... 05 ..... 05 ..... 20
" Long Red Cayenne. Long, bright red
" Red Cherry. Used for pickles ..... , ..... , ..... Io
Radish, Olive-Shaped Deep Scarlet.
© Olive-Shaped French Breakfast. ..... 05
16 Turnip, Early French Deep Scarlet. ..... 05
" Turnip, Early French Scarlet White Tipped Forcing ..... 05
Salsify, Mammoth Sandwich Island. Large ..... Oz . ..... 10
Swiss Chard. Fine white .....  10
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Spinach, Long Standing. A standard sort. .......... \$0.10
". Round Leaved. Round, thick leaved
". Round Leaved. Round, thick leaved .....  Io .....  Io ..... Pkt.
Squash, Boston Marrow. Oval, very fine
Squash, Boston Marrow. Oval, very fine ..... 05
" Early White Scallop Bush. Fine early sort. ..... 05
". Golden Custard. One of the best. ..... 05
" Hubbard or Winter. The best late sort ..... 95
" Summer Crookneck. Long, green striped ..... 05
" Winter Crookneck. A very good keeper ..... 05
Tomato, Acme. Smooth, fine variety ..... Qt. ..... \$0. 10
" Beauty. Extra large and smooth " Favorite. Very productive, fine. ..... 10
IO
" Lorillard. The best forcing variety Lorilar. The best forcing variety ..... to
Io
Turnip, Early Snowball. Rapid grower for summer. ..... 05
" Red Top Strap Leaf. A popular variety ..... 05

## Herbs, Vegetable Roots and Tubers.

The following is a brief list of the most desirable goods in this class; for others, prices will be given on application:


## Grass and Clover Seeds.

I make a specialty of furnishing the very best mixtures of Lawn Grass, especially prepared to suit any soil or situation.
Manda's Universal Mixture is as good as any, and better than many. In ordering, please state for what purpose you want the seed, so that I can make you a special mixture to give the best results.


## Water and Bog Plants.

My collection comprises the very best of these beautiful plants. For list, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 58 and 59.

## Bedding and Garden Plants.

Fine stock in great variety always on hand for collection. See Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 59 and 60.

## Horticultural Implements and Garden Requisites.

Can furnish anything in this line, at lowest market prices. For list, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 100 to 102.

## Horticultural Books and Periodicals.

Can furnish these at publishers' prices. For full List, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 102 and io3.

## Selection of Flower Seeds.

This list contains only such popular varieties as should be in every garden, and to save you time, I will make a collection of fifty different kinds, for only $\mathbf{\$ 1 . 8 5}$. Or, a collection of one hundred packages, each different, for only $\$ 3.50$. Try a collection.
Abutilon. Extra choice mixed.
Pkt. ..... $\$ 0.25$
Acroclinium roseum. Beautiful, everlasting flowers, ..... 05
Ageratum Mexicanum, Imperial Dwarf. Fine Blue. ..... 05
Althea rosea. Finest single mixed. ..... 10
"" " " double .....  10
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Collection of 5 double varieties for 40 cents.
Alyssum saxatile. Yellow flowers perennial. ..... 05
compactum. Fine for edging ..... 05
Amarantus caudatus (Love lies Bleeding). Fine_red, ..... 05
cruentus (Prince's Feather). ..... 05
" tricolor (Joseph's Coat). ..... 05
Manda's Choice Mixture of many varieties. ..... 05
Antirrhinum major (Snapdragon). Tall mixed. ..... 05
Tom Thumb. Choice dwarf varieties. ..... 05
Aquilegia, Manda's Choice Mixture. Many varieties. ..... 10$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Collection of } \\ 6 & 12 \\ \text { varieties for } & 50 \\ \text { cents. }\end{array}$
12
Asters, Dwarf Chrysanthemum, Manda's Finest Mixed.. ..... 10
Collection 6 varieties, 50 cents." Victoria, Manda's Finest Mixed. Ex. choice.10
" Comet, Manda's Finest Mixed. Very fine. ..... 10
Quilled German. Manda's Finest Mixed. Ex. choice ..... 05
Quilled German. Collection of 6 varieties, 25 cts.
Mignon. Manda's Extra Choice Mixture ..... 15
Victoria. ..... IO
Collection of 6 best varieties, 50 cents.
Truffaut's Paeony-flowered Perfection. Manda'sFine Mixed.10
Truffaut's Paeony-flowered Perfection. Collec-tion of 6 sorts for 50 cents.
Betteridge's "Quilled." Manda's Choice Mixed. ..... 05
Tall Chrysanthemum. Manda's Choice Mixed. ..... 10
Manda's Mixture, containing all the types. . ..... 10
Balsams, Manda's Choice Mixture. Double sorts. ..... IO
Collection 6 double varieties for 50 cents. Double Spotted. Finest Mixture ..... 10
" Imp. Camellia-flowered, Manda's Finest Mixed ..... 10 ..... 10
Begonia. Single tuberous rooted; best strains. ..... 25
Double tuberous rooted; best strains. ..... 25
Semperflorens Vernon. Fine dwarf sort. . ..... 25
Bellis perennis fi. pl. Choice strains, mixed ..... 25
Calceolaria, Manda's Finest Mixed. ..... 05
Collection 6 finest varieties for 25 cents.
Calendula officinalis fl. pl. Meteor. Striped light orange ..... 05
officinalis fl. pl. Prince of Orange. Fine.
officinalis fl. pl. Prince of Orange. Fine. ..... 05 ..... 05
"Manda's Finest Mixed. Many varieties. ..... 05
Calliopsis (Corents. ..... 05 (Coreopsis). Manda's Choice MixtureCollection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents.
Canna. Choice hybrid varieties only25
Campanula (Canterbury Bells), Manda's Choice Mixture \$0.05 Collection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents.
Candytuft (Iberis) Coronaria Empress. Pure white: ..... 05
Manda's Finest Mixture. .....  10
Collection 6 best varieties for 25 cents.
Carnation, Éarly Dwarf Vienna. Very fine. .....  10
". Margaret. Pure white ..... 25
Margaret. Choice mixed, very fine. .....  10
Celosia cristata nana (Empress). Fine purple ..... 10
". Pyramidalis plumosa ( Thompsoni).. .....  10
Centaurea argentea vera (Candidissima ragusina). ..... 10
" Babylonica. Very fine dark yellow ..... 05
". Cyanus (Corn Flower). ..... 05
". Cyanus fl. pl. Extra semi-double form.... ..... 05

- Suaveolens(Sweet Sult an). Yellow flowers ..... 05
Chrysanthemum carinatum (Tricolor) album. White. . ..... 05
". coronarium fl. pl. Double yellow... ........ ..... 05
" indicum. Choicest varieties. ..... 25
Cineraria maritima (Candidissima). White foliage. ..... 05
hybrida, Manda's Choice Strains ..... 50
Cobaea scandens. A very fine climber ..... 10
Coleus hybrids. Grand mixture ..... 25
Convolvulus fricolor (Morning Glory). Choice mixed ..... 05
Cyclamen Manda's Choice Strain. Extra fine ..... 50
Dahlia. Double large-flowered best quality mixed ..... I5
Single varieties; splendid mixture. ..... IO
Dianthus barbatus, Manda's Choice Mixture ..... IO
". Heddewigii (Mixed). Very fine annual. .....  10
". Imperialis fll. pl. (Double Imperial Pink). Very fine .....  10
" Manda's Finest Mixed. Choice sorts. ..... 10
Collection 6 finest varieties for 50 cents.
Digitais(Foxg Love) Manda'sChoice Mixture. Finestrains ..... 05
Collection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents.
Eschscholtzia Californica. Extra fine yellow flowers. ..... 05
Gaillardia Picta. Red and yellow, beautiful annual ..... 05
" " Lorenziana. Double, fine for cutting ..... 05
Gloxinia grandiflora crassifolia. Fine choice mixed. ..... 25
Golden Feather(Pyrethrum parthenifolium aureum) ..... 05
Helianthus Annus (Russian Giant). Extra fine single flowers ..... 05
Helianthus globosus fistulosus, fl. pl. Very large ..... 05
Heliotropium. Extra choice mixed. .....  10
Humulus Japonicus foliis variegatus. Beautiful climber ..... 10
Ipomoea, Manda's Finest Mixture. All the best sorts. ..... 05
Lathyrus odoratus (Sweet Pea), Apple Blossom. Pink and blush. ..... 05
Blanche Ferry. Pink and white early ..... 05Captain of the Blues. Bright purpleand blue.05
Cardinal. Crimson scarlet. ..... 05
Emily Henderson. Very fine white. ..... 10
Indigo King. Rich blue black. ..... 05
Orange Prince. Bright orange pink ..... 05


# Selection of Flower Seeds-Continued. 

Lathyrus odoratus, Painted Lady. Beautiful rose andwhite.............................. \$0. 05
" " Primrose. Pale primrose yellow. . To
" " Scarlet Invincible. Very effective red . 05
" " Manda's Choice Mixed. All colors,
per 1 b, , \$1.00.
Collection of 24 varieties for 85 cents.
Larkspur, Giant Hyacinth-flowered. Choice mixed.... . 05
Stock Flowered, Tall Branching. Choice mixed05
Ranunculi-flowered. Double choice mixed ..... 05
" Emperor. Very fine mixture. ..... 05
Manda's Choice Mixture. Many varieties. ..... 05
Lobelia erınus, Crystal Palace (Speciosa). Dark blue. ..... ro ..... 10


Lupinus Annual. Finest sorts mixed ..... 05
Mimulus tigrinus grandiflorus. Beautiful varieties. .....  10
Mirabilis Jalipa (Four o' Clock). Very showy annual. ..... 05
Myosotis (Forget-me-Not) alpestris. Beautiful blue. ..... เо" alpestris alba. A white form of the above. .IO
Nasturtium (Tropaeolum) Lobbianum, Manda's Choice Mixture ..... 05
". Majus, Manda's Choice Mixture ..... 05
" Tom Thumb, ..... 05
". Collection of the best 6 varieties for 25 cents.12 " 50 "
Nicotiana affinis. Beautiful white sweet-scented flowers ..... 05
Nigella damascena fl. pl. (Devil-in-a-Bush). Blue. ..... 05
Hispanica (Love in a Mist). Beautiful blue flowers ..... 05
Oenothera biennis (Evening Primrose). Yellow blossoms ..... 05
Pansy, Manda's finest mixture Show Pansies. Best strain. ..... 50
Ordinary Mixture of standard varieties ..... 10
" Odier. Extra choice large blotched flowers. ..... 25
" Cassier. A very large flowering strain. ..... 25
" Bugnot's. Superb fine strain ..... 50
" Trimardeau or Giant Pansies. Enormous flowers, ..... 25
" King of the Blacks(Dr. Faust). Very dark variety, ..... 15
" Light Blue. Fine flowers of a sky-blue color. ..... 15
" Yellow. Fine rich, showy color for bedding. ..... 15
" Pure White. Fine clear white ; good form. . ..... 15
" Gold Margined. Beautiful variety, fine edging. ..... 15
" Silver Edged (Atropurpurea albo-marginata.) Fine. .....  25
" Manda's Choice Mixture of Bedding Pansies. ..... 15
Papaver, Danebrog. Brilliant scarlet, glossy ..... 05
" Double Carnation-flowered. Finest mixed ..... 05
" Double Paeony-flowered. Choice mixed. ..... 05
"D Dwarf Ranunculi-flowered. Fine mixed. ..... 05
". Manda's finest mixture. Extra choice. ..... 05
Petunia hybrida. Mixer very fine quality ..... 05
Petunia hybrida. Mixed very fine quality.
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Ma finest mixed. Extra fine ..... ioPhlox Drummondi cuspidata, Manda's Finest Mixed...... . \$0. Ionana compacta nivea (Snosuball). White... . Io" " " sanguinea(Fireball). Fine.. . то
". Manda's Finest Mixed. Finest strains. ..... IO
Collection of the best 6 varieties for 50 cents.12r 12 . $\$ 1.00$
Portulaca grandiflora. All sorts choice mixed. ..... 05
fl. pl. Finest double sorts ..... 15
Primula (Primrose) chinensis fimbriata fringed, Manda's strain ..... 50
" elatior (Veris). Extra large flowers, very fine ..... 10
vulgaris. The true yellow English Primrose. ..... Iо
Reseda odorata (Mignonette). Good variety. ..... 05
" grandiflora. Large flowered type ..... 05
(Crimson Queen). Red flowered
05
05
" " Machet. Excellent for pots ..... Io
" "، Spiralis (Mile's Spiral) ..... 05
" Manda's Choice Mixture.
" Manda's Choice Mixture. ..... 05
" Collection of 6 varieties, 25 cts.
Ricinus Cambodgensis. Dark-leaved, extra fine ..... 05
" Sanguineus (Obermanni) ..... 05
Salpiglossis variabilis grandiflora. Showy annual ..... 05
nana. Fine mixed ..... 05
Salvia splendens. Brilliant scarlet flowers. ..... 10
Scabiosa, Manda's Choice Mixture. Extra, ..... 05
Collection of 6 best varieties, 25 cents.
Schizanthus, Manda's Choice Mixed. Fine varieties. ..... 05
Collection of the 6 best varieties for 25 cts.
Stocks, Cut and Come Again. Pure white. ..... 10 ..... 10 ..... 10
" Perpetual Dwarf, Ten Week, Manda's Fine Mxed, ..... 10
" - Tree or Giant, ..... 10
"Giant Perfection. ..... Iо
Walfflower, Double Tall Branching, Manda's Fine Mixture ..... IO
Single, Manda's Fine Mixture ..... IO
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Tagetes African Marigold, Manda's Choice Mixed. ..... IO
Collection of 6 best sorts, 25 cts
": French Marigold, Manda's Finest Mixed ..... 05
"، "Collection 6 best varieties, 25 cts.
Thunbergia alata. Buff-colored ornamental climber. ..... 05
Torenia Fournieri (Edentula). Blue; fine for pots. . ..... 25
Verbena ciltiodora (Lemon Verbena). Very fragrant. ..... 25
" hybrida, Manda's Choice Mixture ..... 10
" Collection of the $\mathbf{6}$ best varieties for 50 cents.
Vinca rosea. Very fine market plant. ..... 05
alba. White flowers, with pink centre ..... 05
Viola adorata semperflorens (Sweet Violet). ..... Io
Xeranthemum (Everlastings). Manda's finest mixed colors ..... 05
Zinnia elegans fl. pl. Tall, Manda's Finest Mixture ..... 05
" " " "Lilliput-Flowered. Choice mixed ..... to
" Dwarf, Double Finest Mixed. ..... 05
" Manda's Choice Mixture of the best varietiesonly.05
" Collection of the 6 best varieties for 25 cents.50 "

For complete collection of flower seeds, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 25 to 51.

## Roses.

The queen of flowers needs no introduction. All my plants are extra strong and fine, and will make a good display the first season. I can offer-
6 Bedding Perpetual Blooming Roses, in six varieties, for ..... $\$ 0.75$
6 Hybrid Roses, two-year old plants, in six choice varieties, for. ..... 2.75
Or, the two collections for only. ..... 3.00

# Bedding or Greenhouse Roses. 

American Beauty. Wonderful strong grower, ..... Doz. $\quad$ roo. producing large fragrant blooms.... \$2.00 \$14.00

Bride. A white sport from the rose Catherine Mermet. One of the finest..... I. $50 \quad 12.00$
Bridesmaid. Beautiful clear pink. Flowers very freely, and is grown extensively. 1.50 12.00
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. A fine white variety, flowering in great profusion in summer.
$1.50 \quad 12.00$
La France. A beautiful rose, color shell pink, deliciously fragrant
$1.50 \quad 12.00$
Madame Hoste. Strong, vigorous grower. Flowers borne in great profusion; white, shaded yellow................... $1.50 \quad 12.00$
Meteor. A robust grower, producing flow$\begin{array}{llll}\text { ers of a rich dark velvety crimson.... } & 1.50 \quad 12.00\end{array}$
Perle des Jardins. The finest yellow of this class of roses. Vigorous grower...... I. $50 \quad 12.00$

## Hybrid Perpetual Roses.

STRONG TWO-YEAR OLD.
Alfred Colomb. Fine full flowers, of a bril- Each. Doz, liant carmine-crimson
$\$ 0.50 \quad \$ 5.00$
Anne de Diesbach. Beautiful carmine; fine, strong grower; one of the best........ . $50 \quad 5.00$
Baroness Rothschild. A charming, light pink variety; extensively planted.......... . $50 \quad 5.00$
General Jacqueminot. The most popular of all this class; brilliant crimson....... . $50 \quad 5.00$
General Washington. Bright red; vigorous grower; flowering abundantly.........
John Hopper. A very free-growing variety; bright rose, carmine centre.............
Marshall P. Wilder. Very distinct sort, with flowers of a cherry-rose color....... . $50 \quad 5.00$
Mabel Morrison. A most beautiful variety; flowers white, tinged with pink...... . $50 \quad 5.00$
Madame Gabriel Luizet. Flowers very large, of a pink color; grows very freely.... . $50 \quad 5.00$
Madame Victor Verdier. A fine-shaped flower; color carmine-crimson.

## Hybrid Perpetual Roses.-Continued.

Mrs. Jno. Laing. Very fine large flower, of a Each. Doz.
beautiful soft pink color. .......... $\$ 0.50$
$\$ 5.00$
Paul Neyron. Strong grower, with fine, heavy foliage; flowers deep rose............ . 50 5.00
Prince Camille de Rohan. Fine dark crimson flower; one of the best of this class. .
Ulrich Brunner. Extensively planted, flowers of a brilliant cherry-red
$50 \quad 5.00$

Victor Verdier. A grand variety; bright rose carmine centre...................... . 50 5.00

## Various Roses.

Baltimore Belle. A grand running or pillar rose, Each nearly white........................................ $\qquad$
Captain Christy. A very fine variety; large and double, deep flesh color..50

Clothilde Soupert. Very floriferous, blooms white,
tinted with pink ..... 35
Coquette des Blanches. A beautiful white variety; very free flowering. ..... 50
Coquette des Alps. Similar to the above, except being slightly tinged with pink ..... 50
Crested Moss. Handsome type, with deep pink- colored buds. ..... 50
Crimson Rambler. A magnificent pillar rose; flow- ers red, produced in bunches ..... 35
Hermosa. Blooms freely during the whole summer; bright rose color ..... 35
Mad. Plantier. A strong growing variety; flowers pure white; very floriferous.. ..... 35
Magna Charta. A beautiful rose, color pink suffused with carmine. ..... 50
Persian Yellow. Golden yellow flowers, of medium size, borne in great profusion ..... 50
Queen of the Prairies. A fine climbing rose; flowers striped bright red. ..... 35
Rugosa alba. A beautiful pure white single flower, very showy ..... 50
Rugosa rubra. A glossy crimson form of the above. ..... 50
Wichuriana. Trailing variety, for landscape work; white flowers. ..... 35

# Chrysanthemums, Carnations and Cannas. <br> The Most Popular Plants of the Day. 

## Show Chrysanthemams.

This collection contains only the very finest prize
varieties, with enormous flowers of the finest colors,
good habit and free growth. At the prices I am
offering same, every one should procure several varieties,
or else I will make collections of twelve varieties for
$\$ 1.75$, or twenty-four varieties for $\$ 3.25$.
Daydawn. Creamy white, early and large ........ \$0. 25
Eugene Dailledouze. Brightest yellow; large....... . . 15
George W. Childs. Crimson; one of the best........ . . 15
Georgienna Bramhall. Incurved; primrose yellow.. . I5
Golden Wedding. Large, golden-yellow.............. . . 15
Harry L. Sunderbruch. Early, large, yellow .......... . . 15
Harry May. Old gold, veined red.... .............. . 15
Helen Bloodgood. Clear pink, without shading..... . 25
Hicks Arnold. Old gold, bronze....................... . 15
Infatuation. Clear white, very fine. .................. . . . 25
Ivory. Early white, one of the best................. . . 15
Louise D. Black. Rich yellow, extra fine........... . . 25
Louis Menand. Brown, shaded lake, tipped yellow. . 15
Major Bonnafon. Clear yellow, fine foliage......... . . 15
Maud Dean. Large, rose pink. ........................ . 15
Minerva. The largest yellow variety,,............... . . 15
Mad. F. Bergman. Fine white, very early........... . 25
Miss F. Pullman. Early, pure white, large.......... . 15
Miss M. Wanamaker. A fine white variety ......... . . 15
Mrs. H. Robinson. Early; pure white; fine......... . 25
Mrs. Geo. West. Rose-purple, reverse silvery,..... . 15
Mrs. H. McK. Twombly. White, shaded pink.,....... . 15
Mrs. Perrin. Beautiful pink variety ................ . . 25
Miss M. M. Johnson. Deep golden yellow; early... . 15
Mrs. Jerome Jones. Fine incurved white ........... . . . 15
Mutual Friend. Fine large pure white................. . 15
Niveus. Pure white, one of the best............... . . . 15
Philadelphia. White, tinged primrose at tips...... . 15
Pitcher and Manda. Canary yellow and white..... . 15
Pink Ivory. A pink variety; fine form............ . . 25
President W. R. Smith. Fine light pink................. . . . 5
The Queen. Fine satiny-white Hower ................. . I5
Vivian Morrel. Very fine silky rose................... . I5
Yellow Queen. Fine early yellow variety........... . . 15

## Hardy Garden Chrysanthemums.

These are improved varieties of the old fashioned kinds, so largely used for garden decoration at the time when all summer flowers have passed away. They are perfectly hardy, and should be in every garden. Order a collection.

Bob. Flowers white, shaded brown.............. \$0. 15
Bronze Bride. Very floriferous; bronze flowers.... . 15
Emily Rowbottom. Very fine anemone white....... . 15
General Canrobert. Yellow flowers, produced in
great abundance..................................... 15
Julie Lagravere. Fine dark crimson flower........ . . 15
La Vogue. Grand yellow variety................... . 15
Mile. Marthe. Fine white pompon flower .......... . 15
Each.
Model of Perfection. Beautiful lilac flowers........ \$o. 15
Roi des Precoces. Extra fine, red shaded bronze. . . 15
Souv. de Jersey. Yellow pompon; extra fine....... . 15
Snowdrop. Pure white; flowers freely..... ....... . . 15
Soeur Milane. Another fine white variety.... ... . 15

The entire set of twelve varieties for $\$ 1.75$.

## Carnations.

The favorite flower of the day. One of the easiest plants to cultivate, and one that will repay with a constant profusion of the beautiful and fragrant flowers. The varieties listed are only the very finest, and I will be pleased to furnish good plants, at the low price of 20 cents each; $\$ 1.25$ per dozen. Collection of twelze varieties for $\$ 1.75$. Special price given on large quantities.
Armazindy. Pure white, slightly penciled scarlet.
Alaska. Fine pure white flowers.
Bridesmaid. Color like Bridesmaid Rose.
Buttercup. Yellow striped scarlet.
Daybreak. Fine light salmon flowers.
Dazzle. Beautiful brilliant scarlet.
Della Fox. Fine rich pure pink.
Helen Keller. White striped rose; fine.
Jubilee. Rich scarlet color; extra fine.
Lizzie McGowan. Fine white; very free
Mad. Diaz Albertini. Very full, light pink.
Mrs. Fisher. Extra fine white flowers.
Meteor. Deep velvety maroon; late.
Morello. Rich red; large and full.
Peach Blow. Delicate peach pink flowers.
Portia. Extra fine bright scarlet.
Rose Queen. Flowers clear rose; extra fine.
Storm King. Very large pure white variety.
W. Scott. Clear Wilder pink; extra fine.

## Cannas, New French.

For outdoor decoration, borders or beds, this class has no equal. Their fine tropical foliage, and large trusses of bright colored flowers, during the whole season, make them indispensable to any garden, large or small. I will make a uniform price of 30 cents each; $\$ 3.00$ per dozen, or $\$ 18.00$ per hundred, or one of each of the following collection for $\$ 3.00$ :
Alphonse Bouvier. Fine purplish carmine flowers
Columbia. Flowers large bright crimson. Chas. Henderson. Dwarf grower; crimson flowers.
Cap. P. de Suzzoni. Light yellow flowers, spotted red.
Egandale. Purple foliage, flowers currant red.
Eldorado. Golden yellow, marked with red.
Florence Vaughan. Orange yellow, dotted red.
F. R. Pierson. Glowing scarlet, yellow centre.

Mad. Crozy. Vermilion, bordered with gold.
Queen Charlotte. Flowers crimson, edged with gold.
Robusta. Tall grower, with purple foliage.
Wm. Elliott. Foliage beautiful crimson purple.

## Flowering Plants.

This section embraces many beautiful and popular flowering plants that are of easy growth and of small cost, especially if purchased in the following collections:

> Six choice flowering plants, in six varieties, my selection, for ......................... $\$ 1.25$
> Twelve choice flowering plants, in twelve varieties, my selection, for. ................ 2.40
Azaleas (assorted varieties). Beautiful greenhouse Each.shrubs; their colors range in everyshade . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
shade........................................ Anthurium Andreanum. A handsome stove plant,
with orange-red flowers and shining leaves.Hybrids. Very fine varieties, running incolor from light pink to deep blood-redAllamanda Hendersonii. Grand stove climber, pro-ducing clusters of large yellowflowersobilis. Another beautiful variety, withbright yellow flowers. ..................nerifolia. A fine bushy form of this grandplant; blooms freely ...................Acacia (in variety). Beantiful greenhouse flower-
ing plants; blooms in spring. ..... 75Adamia versicolor. Large heads of blue flowers,resembling a hydrangeaBegonias (assorted varieties). These popular plantsneed no description, as they are sowell known.
Bougainvillea glabra (Chinese Paper Flower). Oneof the finest climbers in cultiva-tion
Camellias (many varieties). Flowers in all shades,from pure white to the darkest red...
Cherokee Rose (Rosa Sinica). A very robust grow-er, producing beautiful single whiteflowers....................................Clerodendron. Balfourii. Vigorous climber, producinga profusion of white and red flowers.
Cassia corymbosa. A popular plant, having largenumbers of yellow flowers............Chrysanthemum frutescens (Paris Daisy). Verycasily grown, and flowers very freely
Daphne odorata. Flowers very freely; sweet-scented; no collection ought to bewithout it. :..............................Dipladenias (in varieties). Choice greenhouseclimbers; flowers white and shell pinkEricas (in varieties). Grand winter floweringplant; flowers in many colors. ........
Eucharis Amazonica. Fine bulbous plant, producingnumbers of beautiful white flowers..Euphorbia Jacquinaeflora. Winter flowering plant,with fine orange-red flowers..........
Gardenia florida (Cape Jessamine). Pure white,sweet-scented camellia-like flowers.\$0. 753.0075 50502550752550 5025
Genistas. Fine spring flowering plants; one that should be in every collection.
Each.Hydrangea (in varieties). Very popular plants, pro-ducing large bunches of flowers.
Hibiscus (many varieties). Beautiful plants; flow- Hibiscus (many varieties). Beautiful plants; flow- ..... 2550
oronarium. Trusses of white scented Hedichium coronarium. Trusses of white scented
flowers, with canna-like foliage...... ..... 50
Imantophyllum miniatum. Thick, ribbon-like green
leaves, with large trusses of orange- red flowers. ..... 1.00
Ixoras (in varieties). Grand stove house flowering plants; trusses of flowers resembling Bouvardias ..... 1.00
Justicia speciosa. Beautiful trusses of pink flowers, very free flowering. ..... 25
Jasminium gracillimum. Very fine climber, producing sprays of white sweet-scented flowers ..... 50
Lapageria alba. An elegant greenhouse climber; beautiful waxy white flowers ..... 5.00
". rosea. Useful as the above; flowers fine rose color. ..... 3.50
Libonia floribunda. Bushy, compact plant, with scarlet yellow tipped flowers......... ..... 25
Pelargoniums (in varieties). Grand spring flowering
plants; the trusses of flowers are Pelargoniums (in varieties). Grand spring flowering
plants; the trusses of flowers are very fine. ..... 35
Plumbago capensis. Charming plant, producing masses of sky blue flowers............ ..... 25
" capensis alba. A white form of the above ..... 25
Pancratium ovatum (Spider Lily). Fine bulbous plants, with grand truss of white flowers. ... ..... 75Reinwardtia tetragyna. Dwarf compact plant, withmasses of bright yellow flowers......Rhynchospermum jasminoides. One of the finestgreenhouse climbers; flowers purewhite.50

Rhynchospermum jasminoides. One of the finest white.50
Solandra grandiflora. Beautiful plant, flowers re-sembling the well known Easter Lily
50
Stephanotis floribunda. Climber, with trusses of fine white waxy flowers. ..... 1.00
Swainsonia galagifolia alba. Fine feathery foliage, with spikes of beautiful white flowers ..... 35rosea. A fine rose colored variety of theabove
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For my full collection, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 60 to 62.

## Orchids.

These beautiful plants are just as easy to grow as Palms or Ferns, and are offered at about same prices. The following is a selection of the very best and finest kinds which bloom freely and are of easy culture. I would be pleased to make special collections at reduced prices, and select such kinds as would be best adapted for the purpose.

Six Orchids in six best varieties, fine plants, for only ...................................... $\$ 4.75$
Twelve Orchids in twelve best varieties, fine plants, for only ......................... 90

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\text { Twelve Orchids in twelve best varieties, fine plants, for only ................................ 9. } 50
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Each.Barkeria Skinnerii. Very floriferous species, produc-ing spikes of beautiful crimson flowers $\$ 2.00$
Brassavola glauca. Easily grown, flowers creamy
white, produced in great abundance..

1. 00 Broughtonia sanguinea. Beautiful rose colored flowers, borne on long graceful spikes.... Calanthe Veitchii. A winter flowering species, with rich pink flowers on long stems...... Cattleya citrina (Tulip Orchid). Flowers beautiful lemon yellow, of easy culture.........
" intermedia. Flowers rosy lilac, which are borne in great profusion .... .......
" labiata (vera). One of the finest autumn flow-
ering orchids, rosy pink, crimson lip.
" labiata (vera). One of the finest autumn flow-
ering orchids, rosy pink, crimson lip. 3.00
" Mossiae. Rose to crimson red, with yellow throat; flowers in May
I. 00
2.00
2. 00
3.00
" Percivaliana, Fine winter blooming variety; flowers rich rose, with crimson lip...
" Trianae. The most popular and useful winter flowering orchid; lilac rose to crimson Chysis bractescens. Flowering in the spring, and producing curious waxy white blossoms,
Coelogyne cristata. Very free flowering, useful variety; borne on sprays pure white.
Cypripedium Ashburtoniae. Flowers reddish brown and white; vigorous grower......... Barbatum. Free flowering sort; the blooms are white and deep purple...
oxalii. Flowers yellowish green, shaded
" Boxalii. Flowers yello wish green, shaded
curple and brown; very fine. ........
" Boxalii. Flowers yello wish green, shaded
curple and brown; very fine. ........ Calurum. Large rosy crimson flowers, borne on long spikes
2.00
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". Cardinale. A fine hybrid; flowers white and pink; remains in bloom a long time.
" Dauthieri. Very free flowering variety; reddish purple, very pretty
5.00
" Dominianum. Free growing and flowering sort; petals very long, soft, greenish yellow.
3. 00

Harrisianum. Flowers several times during the year; rich reddish brown.....
" insigne. Very popular free growing variety; flowers yellowish green.....
Sedenii. Flowers produced in great profusion; rose colored.................. Spicerianum. A lovely flower, with
white dorsal sepal; one of the best. villosum. Tawny yellow, with bright
villosum. Tawny yellow, with bring surface, as if varnished....
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" Sedenio. Howers produced in gre-
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". white dorsal sepal ; one of the best.
2.00 fine spikes of yellow flowers.

Dendrobium formosum giganteum. Large waxy white
flowers, with yellow throat......... flowers, with yellow throat...........
Nobile. A very free grower, producing " Nobile. A very free grower, producing fusion .................................. Phalaenopsis Schroderae. Beautiful variety, large rose colored flowers, borne on graceful spikes
Thyrsiflorum. Produces bunches of white and yellow flowers, very showy..............
Wardianum. Large white flowers, tipped with pink,
yellow throat, with maroon bloch...
Epidendrum vitellinum majus. Very floriferous species
Wardianum. Large white flowers, tipped with pink,
yellow throat, with maroon bloch...
Epidendrum vitellinum majus. Very floriferous species
Epidendrum vitellinum majus. Very floriferous species,
with spikes of rich orange-red flowers.
Epidendrum vitellinum majus. Very floriferous species,
with spikes of rich orange-red flowers.
Laelia albida. Flowers white, with lilac lip, borne on long spikes.
" anceps. Very free grower; flowers produced on spikes of a rich rose color
" autumnalis. Beautiful variety, with large rich rose colored flowers .............
purpurata. Grand large white flowers, with crimson lip, very fine. ................
Odontoglossum Bictonense. Easily grown; flowers lilac and brown, on long spikes......
citrosmum. Blooms in spring; flowers white and pink, borne on long drooping sprays.
crispum. The finest of this class; white spotted flowers, borne on graceful spikes.
" Rossii majus. Free grower, flowers produced in great profusion, white and brown.
Oncidium incurvum. Flowers lilac and white, produced on long stems, of easy culture. ". ornithorhynchium. Sweet lilac flowers, which are borne on spikes in great profusion
" tigrinum. Long spikes of large yellow sweet scented flowers, easily grown..
" varicosum Rogersii. Large pure yellow flowers, borne on arching spikes, extra fine
Phaius grandifolius. A terrestrial species having spikes of white and brown flowers...
Vanda suavis. Large lilac and crimson flowers, borne on long spikes
tricolor. Fine spikes of brown and purple flowers; blooms during the winter months. . . . ............................
Zygopetalum Mackayii. Free grower ; large lilac flowers, with chocolate brown petals.

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## Palms and Ferns.

In the whole vegetable kingdom there are no plants that can compare, in grace of their cheerful, bright green foliage, with the above-named kinds, and they are invaluable for either greenhouse, window or house decoration.
Special coliection of six choice palms for ..... \$2.75
Spicial collection of six choice ferns for. ..... 1.25Large specimens or extensive collections, price on application.
Areca !utescens. A very graceful variety. One of Each. the best for decorating. ..... $\$ 0.50$
Brahea filamentosa Broad, fan-like leaves from which hang long white filaments.... ..... 50
Caryota Urens (Fish Tail Palm). A tall growing vari- ety, the leaflets resembling a fish tail, ..... 50
Cocos Weddelliana. The most graceful of the whole family, grows freely but not large ..... 50
" plumosa. A noble looking plant ..... 75
Chamaerops elegans. Very easily grown and very hardy humilis. A beautiful type growing ..... 50 dwarf and compact ..... 50
Fortunii. Rare variety, very seldom seen, slow, compact grower. ..... I. 50
Geonoma Schottiana. A fine, imposing plant, with broad, divided foliage ..... I. 00

Kentia Balmoreana. The most useful palm, rich dark green fronds, the best for house culture

Each. Latania borbonica. The true fan palm. Grows well with very little attention

than the above.......................
ing fronds. Very graceful...........
"Fosteriana. A grand plant, with bold arch
ing fronds. Very graceful............
The true fan palm. Grows well ..... 50with very little attention
Phœenix reclinata. Very useful as a decorative plant. ..... 50
A strong, hardy sort.
" Canariensis. Handsome variety, with long, ..... 50graceful arching fronds...............Senegalensis. Strong, hardy sort, withbeautiful glaucous fronds.............Rhaphis flabelliformis. A very hardy and orna-mental Japanese palm.2.00
" humilis. A finer leaved variety than theabove. Very handsome
2.00
Sabal umbraculitera. A noble looking plant, with massive glaucous fronds ..... 50
Ferns.
Adiantum capellus-veneris imbricatum. (Hardy Farley- ense). A new and very beautiful type,
Each. Nephrolepis exaltata. An elegant upright growing variety. Fine for house culture..... davalloides furcans. Long light green fronds. Very effective.................... fronds. A beautiful sort 1.00
Polypodium aureum. One of the best suited varieties for rock work. ..... 35
Piaîycerium alcicorne (Stag Horn Firn). Fronds resemble a deer's horns. Easily grown ..... 1.00 with broad fronds. ..... 5.00
Selaginella Africana. Very erect, tall growing va- riety, graceful ..... 25
Brownii. A very dwarf form, cxtla fine. Grows very compact ..... 25
ety, metallic blue changing to green..
well-known Florida Moss.............. ..... 50 with A strong growing variety, with beautiful fronds. ..... 25 ..... 25

For fuller collection, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages i2 and $\mathbf{7 B}$.

## Fancy Foliage Plants.

This is a class of plants with beautifully shaped or finely colored foliage, and is, therefore, very useful for house decoration or greenhouse. I would be pleased to make the following special low priced collections, which will give great satisfaction:

Six choice fancy foliage plants, in six varieties, my selection, for only............... $\$ 1.75$
Twelve choice fancy foliage plants, in twelve varieties, my selection, for only ......... 3.25
Twelve choice fancy foliage plants, in twelve
Abutilon Souv. de Bonn. One of the finest of this Each.
type. Leaves with white markings. . \$o. 25
Aglaonema Roblenii. A fine decorative plant, with thick, leathery foliage.
Araucaria excelsa (Norfolk Island Fine). A very popular plant, worthy of general culture
" excelsa glauca. A beautiful variety of the above, having a bluish tinge......... 3.00

Alocasia macrohiza variegata. A grand variegated $\begin{gathered}\text { plant. of easy culture............... } \quad \text {..oo }\end{gathered}$ plant. of easy culture. ............... noble looking plant.
Anthurium crystallinum. Massive velvety foliage, with silvery markings. Very fine...graceful, variegated foliage ...........
" Sieboldii. Fine, vigorous plant, with broad,
green, massive leaves................
". $\quad$ variegata. Variegated form of the vari-
". variegata. Variegated form of the vari-
Aspedistra lurida. A very durable and effective plant. Fine for house culture
lurida variegata. A fine variegated form of the above variety..

## Bromeliads (in varieties). Curious plants, some

 varieties being prettily marked......I. 00

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Caladiums (in varieties). Grand tropical looking } \\
& \text { plants, with gay colored foliage...... }
\end{aligned}
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©rotons (in varieties). One of the finest foliage
plants; easily grown and very showy,

Cissus discolor. A beautiful, fancy foliaged stove creeper of easy culture
Cycas revoluta (Sugo Palm). Useful plant. Fine
for decoration, and very durable....
Cyperus alternifolius. Grows freely, and is a very
Diefienbachia Baraquaeana. A grand plant, with
Dracaena Massangeana. Like the above variety, excepting that the yellow stripe is in the middle. ..... \$I. 75
" Shepherdii. Fine, bold
and yellow foliage ..... 50
Eucalyptus globulus (Australian Blue Gum Tree). ..... 50 ..... 50
A rapid grower, with glaucous foliage.
Ficus elastica (Rubber Plant). So well knownthat it will need no description......

Fittonia argyroneura. Beautiful dwarf stove evergreen plant, with silvery markings. .
Verschaffeltii. Another beautiful variety;

midrib of foliage being dark red. ..... 25
Grevillea robusta (Silk Tree). A handsome foliage plant of graceful habit. ..... 50
Hedera (Ivy). In twenty varieties. Very hand- some for greenhouse or garden.......

Heliconia aureo-striata. Strikingly handsome plant, with musa-like foliage striped with yellow
Maranta Kerchoveana. Fine dwarf stove plant; foliage green with blotches of dark olive,
35
" Lietzii. An elegant upright variety; leaves deep metallic green. ..... 75
sort. Foliage beautifully marked...50
" pulchella. Good variety for general purposes; leaves light green with dark markings ...........
50
mimosa pudica (Sensitive Plant). Very interesting plant; leaves folding close when touched by anything ..... 25
Panicum variegatum. A fine creeping variegated plant. Fine for hanging-baskets. ..... 15
Panax Victoria. A very handsome variegated stove shrub, with graceful foliage ..... 50
Pandanus utilis (Screw Pine). A beautiful house plant of very peculiar growth.......Veitchii. One of the most handsome foli-age plants ; leaves beautifully varie-gated1.00
Pepinia aphelandraeflora. A beautiful little plant, with green ribbon-like leaves and bright red flowers ..... 35
Philodendron pertusum. Grand, massive foliage, giving the plant a noble appearance. ..... 1. oo
Phrynium variegatum. A very beautiful stove plant, with variegated foliage ..... 75
Zamia integrifolia. A very decorative plant, with beattiful arching fronds. ..... 1.00

Bauseii. One of the finest of this class,
the leaves marked white-yellow.....
Splendens. Another beautiful form of these noble looking plants............. age green, white and pink.
Dracaena amabiis. Makesa grand specimen; foliraco (Dragon Tree). Fine, massive plant, with long, leathery, green leaves.
indivisa. A narrow-leaved variety. Very useful for vases, etc.
" Lindenii. One of the finest sorts; foliage green with yellow stripes

# Hardy Perennial Plants. 

These are the old-time favorites which should be in every garden. Once planted, they thrive from year to year, and increase in size and beauty. With a good collection a succession of flowers can be had from April till November. I would be pleased to make special low priced collections for any situation desired.

$$
\text { Collection of twelve choice kinds, one plant of each, for only. ........................ } \$ 1.50
$$

Collection of twenty-five good plants in twenty-five varieties, for only ................ 2.75
Each.
Achillea millefolia rubra. Produces very pretty trusses of rose-colored flowers. Feathery foliage........................................ $\$$ $\$ 0.20$.
" serrata plena (The Pearl). Flowers pure white ; very double ; borne on long stems. Fine for cutting. 15
". tomentosa. Very floriferous; fine for rock work. Yellow trusses..................
Armeria cephalotes (Sea Pink). Pretty rose-colored flowers; borne in great profusion....
Artemisia pontica. Silvery white feathery foliage; fine for carpet bedding or planting in a dry situation.10
Coreopsis lanceolata. Bright golden-yellow flowers; excellent for cutting and massing...15

Delphinium hybrids (assorted varieties). Extra fine
sorts in all shades, from light to dark
blue.
Dianthus barbatus (Sweet William). Very fineflowers; many colors; lasts long inplumarius plenus. Double Garden Pink.Very fragrant. Fine for cutting....
Dicentra spectabilis (Bleeding Heart). Flowersheart-shaped; borne on long sprays.
Digitalis purpurea (Foxglove). Very ornamental.Flowers bright purple; produced onlong spikes15
Funkia undulata variegata (Day Lily). Valuable as a hardy foliage plant; beautifully vari- egated. ..... 20
Gaillardia grandiflora hybrida (Blanket Flower). Very showy; flowers all summer. ..... 20
Helianthus multiflorus plenus (Perennial Sunflower). Grows about four feet high; fine double flowers ..... 15
" mollis grandiflorus. Chrome yellow; single flower; very effective. ..... 25
Hemerocallis flava (Day Lily). Produces long spikes. Golden-yellow sweet-scented flowers. ..... 20
". Dumortierii. Flowers large orange-yellow;very free grower. ...........................20
Iberis sempervirens(Evergreen Candytuft). Beauti- ful white flowers; blooms in early spring
Iris Germanica (Fleur-de-Lis). Large, beautiful flowers, rivaling orchids in coloring.. Kaempferii (Japan Iris). Another type of the above, in many colors and varieties.Monarda didyma (Oswego Te'a). Bright red, showyflowers, while the foliage is fragrant.Paeonies, herbaceous, assorted. Very showy. In allpleasing shades, from pure white todark red.
35
Papaver orientale. The finest perennial poppy. Producing large gay-colored flowers. ..... 20
Pentstemon barbatus. Beautiful deep scarlet flowers, produced on long spikes. ..... 20
Phlox amoena. A favorite border plant. Flowers early in the season. .....  15s Carolina. Very fine sort; growing about onefoot high, with reddish purple flowers I5
"stellaria. Beautiful white flowers, with pink
eye; very foriferous. ..... 25
" subulata (Moss $P i n k$ ). Very dwarf. A regu- lar mat of flowers in early spring.... .....  15
" paniculala (assorted varieties). The very finest varieties in all shades........ .....  15"The Pearl." Flowers pure white;grows about eighteen inches high;
the finest White Phlox. ..... 20
Polygonium cuspidatum crispulum. Fine, vigorous grower, producing feathery white flowers. ..... 35
Pyrethrum roseum (assorted varieties). Extra fine for cutting; many forms resembling Asters. ..... 25
Rudbeckia speciosa (Cone Flower). Flowers yellow; dark purple disk; very floriferous.. ..... 20
lar mass of yellow when in flower...Spiraea astilboides. Flowers white; very graceful.Borne in great profusion. ..............- Japonica. Pure white flowers; one of thefinest hardy plants.grandiflora. Flowers larger andcloser than the above..................
Statice latifolia. Beautiful blue flowers, borne on
large panicles.Tunica saxifraga. A dwarf grass-like plant produc.ing quantities of small pink flowers.

For full collection, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 74 to 78.

## Ornamental Trees and Shrubs.

The selection on this page includes only the very best varieties, that should be extensively planted by every one that owns any land. I would be pleased to make selection for any purpose named.
Six fine trees, in six choice varieties, my selection, for only........................... $\$ 3.75$
Twelve fine trees, in twelve choice varieties, my selection, for only. .................. 7.50
Six shrubs, in six very finest varieties, my selection, for only. ......................... . . . 1.75
Twelve shrubs, in twelve very finest varieties, my selection, for only................. 3.50

Each.
Acer dasycarpum (Silver Maple). One of the finest and quickest growing trees. .
$\$ 0.50$
" saccharinum (Sugar Maple). One of the most valuable shade trees in cultivation...
"Polymorphum atropurpureum (Japan Maple). Small tree with bright red foliage.. ". dissectum atropurpureum. Weeping habit,
" ". dissectum atropurpureum. Weeping habit, $\begin{gathered}\text { having beautiful cut scarlet foliage.. } 2.00\end{gathered}$
Esculus Hippocastanum (Horse Chestnut). Fine form, with showy spikes of white flowers. .
Betula alba pendula laciniata (Cut-leaved Birch).
Fine pyramidal tree, with white bark,
Betula alba pendula laciniata (Cut-leaved Birch).
Fine pyramidal tree, with white bark,
Catalpa bignonioides speciosa. Round, shapely tree, with large, light green follage50 2.00 . 0 .50
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Crataegus oxycantha candida plena (English Haw
thorn). Double white flowers. ..... I. 00
oxycantha coccinea fl. pl. Like the above, except the flowers are double red.
I. 00

Cytisus laburnum (Golden Chain). Small tree, with beautiful trusses of yellow flowers. . . 50
Fagus sylvatica purpurea (Purple Beech). One of the handsomest trees in cultivation.
Magnolia conspicua. Beautiful dwarf tree, with
large flowers. Blooms early in the spring. I. 501. 50 oulangeana. The best known variety, with large white and purple flowers,2.00

Paulownia imperialis. Very ornamental tree, with enormous large leaves.75

Populus alba (Poplar). A rapid-growing tree, with
pyramidal habit ..... 50
Prunus Pissardii. One of the finest red foliaged dwarf trees in cultivation. ..... 50
Salix Babylonica (Weeping Willow). The well- known weeping willow. ..... 50
" laurifolia. A very ornamental tree or bush, with large, bright-shining foliage.... ..... 50
Tilia argentea (Linden). A beautiful shade tree of conical shape, sweet-scented flowers. ..... I. 00
Calycanthus floridus (Sreeet-scented Shrub). Choco- late-colored flowers of long duration. ..... 35
Cydonia Japonica (Japan Quince). Early flowering bush; flowers white to dark red. ..... 35
Deutzias (in any variety). Desirable shrubs, with white flowers in early spring. ..... 35
Forsythia Fortunii (Golden Bell). Desirable shrub, with a multitude of yellow flowers...
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Hibiscus (Rose of Sharon). Flowers from white to rich crimson. ..... 50
Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora. The most popular shrub in cultivation.
Each.
Kerria Japonica fl. pl. (Corchorus). Bright double yellow flowers, on arching branches. . ..... 35
" " argentea variegata. A fine variety, with silvery white edging on the leaves. ..... 50
Ligustrum ovalifolium (California Privet). One of the best hedge plants. ..... 25
Paeony Moutan (Tree Paeony). A magnificent small shrub, with immense showy flowers. . ..... 75
Philadelphus coronarius (Mock Orange). A hand- some shrub, white fragrant flowers. . . ..... 35
Rhus cotinus (Smoke Tree). A fine large-growing
shrub, with panicles of airy flowers. ..... 50
Spiraea (Bradal Wreath. In all best varieties).
Covered in spring with white flowers. ..... 35
Syringa (Lilacs). Any variety of this shrub; nice bushes, white, red, or purple. ..... 35
Viburnum (Snowball). Any variety of this popular plant. ..... 35
Weigelia (in varieties). Desirable shrubs, with large flowers, various colors. ..... 50
Andromeda Catesbaeii. Beautiful crimson foliage during winter, white flowers in spring. .....  75
Rhododendrons (in variety). Fine bushes, well budded ..... 1. 75
Ampelopsis Veirchii (Boston Ivy). One of the most popular vines for covering walls ..... 25
Clematis (in variety). Has large flowers, from pure white to rich purple blue........ ..... 50
Hedera $(T v y)$. Nice plants of these popular ever- green vines. ..... 25
Lonicera (Honeysuckle) (in varieties). Quick-grow- ing vines, with fragrant flowers..... .....  35
Wistaria Sinensis. Rapid growing vine, with large bunches in early spring. ..... 50
Abies alba (White Spruce). Fine bushy tree, with silvery gray foliage ..... 50
" Canadensis (Hemlock). One of the finest of our native trees, for any purpose...." excelsa (Norway Spruce). A rapid-growingtree, for screen or as a break wind. ..Juniperus communis Hibernica (Irish Juniper). Beau-tiful evergreen, a pillar-like growth..
Retinospora plumosa (Japanese Cypress). Dwarf;dense, feathery foliaged evergreen. .pluminsa aurea. A fine variety of theabove, with yellow tips.

For full collection, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 79-95.

## Fruit Trees, Shrubs and Vines.

The following list is the very cream of the best and well-tried varieties which can be planted with good results in any part of the country. I would be pleased to make special collections, to include all the different kinds that would give a succession of fruit from early summer till late in fall.

> Collection of 50 small fruits and trees, my selection, for only. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 7.50$ Collection of 100 small fruits and trees, for only. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 14.00
Apple, Baldwin. One of the finest winter varieties; Each.large juicy red fruit. ................... $\$ 0.50$" Fall Pippin. Another very fine sort; fruitlarge, rich yellow skin. . ............... .25
" Monmouth Pippin. A late sort; extra finekeeper, very juicy, fine flavor.........
25Northern Spy. Flesh very white; late; very
largely grown. ..... 25
Rhode Island Greening. A grand variety; heavycropper; one of the finest for generaluse.25
" Transcendent (Crab Apple). The finest va-riety of this useful class.25
Pear, Bartlett. Fine juticy summer variety, delicious flavor. ..... 50
" Beurre de Anjou. Large and fine variety, worthy of general culture. ......... . ..... 50
" Keiffer. A large yellow sort, with yellow dots, extensively grown ..... 50
" Seckel. A very late variety, high flavoredrich and juicy ; one of the best.50
Cherry, Black Tarlarian. Large, purplish black, sweet, rich flavor; one of the finest. ..... 50
" Montmorency. Large, late, and very productive.50
" Napoleon. Excellent flavor; fruit large andjuicy; white, with red cheek.50
Apricots (best varieties). Only the ones that I know to be of sterling merit......... ..... 35
Quince, Apple or Orange. Large, yellow variety, very productive. ..... 50
" Champion. Pear-shaped; late keeper; one of the best sorts ..... 50
Plums, Bradshaw. A fine variety, one that should be in every garden.................... ..... 50
" Burbank. Very juicy and prolific; very
largely grown. ..... 50
Peach, Mountain Rose. A very early variety, and one of the most productive sorts.... ..... 25
" Stump the World. Large juicy variety, offine flavor; one of the finest25
". Crawford's Early. Extra early variety, very " Crawford's Early. Extra ear ..... 25
Grape, Catawba. A very late variety; keeps well;
Each.musky flavor.\$0. 20
" Delaware. Small light red, juicy and sweet;
very productive; one of the best..... ..... 25
" Duchess. A greenish-white variety, with medium sized compact bunches ..... 25
" Moore's Early. Best early variety producing nice bunches of black berries ..... 25
" Niagara. One of the hardiest varieties of this popular fruit; greenish-white ..... 25

- Wilder. Large bunch and berry ; fruit black; rich flavor, and very juicy ..... 25
" Foreign (in any variety). I import these inlarge quantities...............Sr.oo to2.50
Currant, Cherry. Large, cleep red, acid fruit, vigor- ..... Dozen.
ous and productive ..... 1.00" Fay's Prolific. Extra large red berries, bornein the greatest abundance...........
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" La Versailles. Large bunches of red fruit;one of the best varieties.1.00
" White Grape. The best white variety; rich, juicy flavor; very productive........ ..... 1.00
Blackberry, Erie. Very hardy sort, and a very good keeper................................... Kittatinny. Extra fine sweet flavored ..... 75
variety; late. ..... 50
Gooseberry, industry. Free from mildew; very pro- ..... Each.
lific: fruit large and good flavor..... ..... 25
" Smith's Improved. Good, reliable variety one of the best for general use ..... 25
Raspberry, Brandywine. Large bright red berries, very hardy and productive ..... Dozen.Golden Queen. A new yellow variety,extra fine flavor...Gregg (Black Cap). Enormously pro-ductive; fruit black; very fine.
" Cuthbert. Very prclific red variety, most
" Cuthbert. Very prclific red variety, most extensively grown ..... 50 ..... 50best five varieties). Selected from allStrawberry (best five varieties). Selected from all
the best sorts strong plants, $\$ 5$ per C.
Chestnut, American. The sweet native variety; very fine, vigorous trees. .....  50

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## bandscape Gardening.

THIS is a very important subject, and one that should not be neglected or overlooked, especially when building up a new place. It means that with a good plan you can lay out your place to all the advantages it commands naturally, besides making and developing features where the location is disadvantageous. The roads and walks should be laid out not only to be practical, but also to be in harmony with everything adjacent.

## The Proper Location of Trees and Shrubs,

with the selection of the best and most desirable kinds, is very important, for you are planting for the future, and, as it takes years for a shrub or tree to grow, you should plant only such as would be desirable and valuable when grown up. The same applies to the location of vegetable, flower, fruit, rock, of wild garden borders or flower beds.

## The Grouping or Massing of either Trees, Shrubs, Plants, or Bulbs,

to produce certain effects at special seasons, either in foliage, flower or fruit, can only be successfully accomplished by having full knowledge of the habits and character of such plants.

Many unsightly corners and spaces could be not only hidden, but actually made beautiful. Thus, outside the general flower garden, barren rocks and stumps of trees can be covered with luxuriant growth.

## Dry and Sandy Hills, where even grass refuses to grow,

with proper selection, can be made as beautiful as where the soil is rich, while marshes can be turned into handsome objects, and ponds covered with showy water plants. In one word, it is the knowledge of the habits of plants and their adaptability to certain locations that brings the desired success.

Locating and designing greenhouses, graperies, pits or frames on a place are also very important; so are the proper details in the construction of greenhouses, which are generally left to architects, who do not take into consideration the practical points of the greenhouse or conservatory.

## Do not lay out your place without a Landscape Gardener

any more than you would build a house without an architect; and you cannot do better than consult


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MANDH'S PHLM SHOW.


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    The plate on the opposite side does not do justice to these marvelous roses.
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